



HARRISON COUNTY SHERIFF'S OFFICE

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*****PRESS RELEASE*****
For Immediate Release

On Thursday, October 24, 2019, Sheriff Troy Peterson announced the arrest of 59 year old Thomas Broderic who resides at 335 Borries Street in Biloxi, MS on a felony charge of Receiving Stolen Property; cash transactions for purchase of scrap metal prohibited.

According to Sheriff Troy Peterson for the past several months Harrison County Sheriff's Office has taken numerous reports on stolen catalytic convertors throughout Harrison County. During the course of the investigation Harrison County Investigators determined that numerous stolen catalytic convertors where being purchased with cash by Thomas Broderic who is an employee with PGM of Texas located at 10588 Joe Boardman Jr. Drive in Gulfport, MS. Investigators obtained a warrant and arrested Broderic at the Harrison County Sheriff's Office Criminal Investigations Division after he spoke with Investigators. Sheriff Peterson further stated this is an ongoing investigation on the thefts of catalytic convertors and more arrests are expected.

Thomas Broderic was booked in to the Harrison County Adult Detention Center on one Felony Count of Receiving Stolen Property; cash transactions for purchase of scrap metal prohibited and is being held in lieu of a \$50,000.00 dollar bond set by Judge Albert Fountain

Investigative Officer: Investigator John Putnam/ Investigator Kenneth French

Arresting Officer(s): _____

Approved For Release: _____

Troy J. Peterson, Sheriff, Harrison County, Mississippi